2002-03 District Status Report Smackover School District

Accreditation Standards

The Standards of Accreditation of Public Schools require that each school offer three programs of study in three different occupational areas. Below are the programs offered for 2003-04. If a program is offered at a vocational center, students must be enrolled in the 2003-04 school year.

Smackover High School is offering nine programs of study in seven occupational areas:

Automotive Service Technology
Business Administration
Cosmetology
Approved Off Campus
Approved
Approved
Approved Off Campus
SouthArk Career Center
Approved
Approved
Approved
Approved
Approved
Approved

Information Management Approved
Machine Tool Technology Approved Off Campus SouthArk Career Center
Medical Professions Education Approved Off Campus SouthArk Career Center

Welding Approved Off Campus SouthArk Career Center

District Rating: Meets Standard of Accreditation Requirements

Academic Skill Attainment

Academic Attainment is based on the number of concentrators that score above the 50th percentile on the Stanford Achievement Test-9 (SAT 9).

The state benchmark for this measure is 50 percent.

Concentrators with a SAT score	31
Concentrators scoring above the 50th percentile on SAT 9	13
Percent of Concentrators above the 50th percentile	42%
State average	43%

District Rating: Approaching State Average

Vocational Technical Skill Attainment

Vocational Technical Skill Attainment is based on the average scores in the Vocational Student Competency Testing program for all students tested at the end of a course.

The state benchmark for this measure is 80 percent.

	Number Lested	School Average	State Average
Business/Marketing	43	81%	69%
Desktop Publishing I	6	86%	71%

Desktop Publishing II	6	91%	78%
Spreadsheet Applications	5	84%	75%
Word Processing I	17	75%	64%
Word Processing II	9	82%	73%
Career Orientation	24	77%	78%
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Family and Consumer Sciences	54	81%	68%
Clothing Management	14	83%	64%
Family & Consumer Sciences	8	76%	69%
Housing & Interior Design	20	81%	68%
Managing Resources	12	82%	73%
Technical and Professional	6	59%	57%
Cosmetology I	2	42%	62%
Gas Tungsten Arc Welding	2	67%	69%
Machine Tool I	2	69%	56%
Workplace Readiness	34	59%	57%
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Number of students tested	161		
District average score	75%		
State average	68%		

District Rating: Meets or Exceeds State Average

Completers of Programs of Study

A completer is a graduate who successfully completed three or more units of credit within a program of study, including all the core requirements for that program of study.

There are two measures for this indicator. The first is the number of completers compared to the number of graduates. The second is the number of seniors enrolled in career and technical classes compared to the number of completers.

The state benchmarks for this measure are 35 percent and 50 percent, respectively.

Completers compared to graduates	43%
State average	28%

District Rating: Significantly Above State Average

Number of seniors enrolled in vocational education compared	
to number of completers	77%
State average	36%

District Rating: Significantly Above State Average

Total Number of Completers of Programs of Study (unduplicated)	23
(A student may complete more than one program of study)	
Business Administration/Management	1
Family & Consumer Sciences Education	12
Finance	2
Machine Tool Technology	2
Medical Professions Education	4
Welding	2

Graduation

The graduation rate for concentrators is based on the number of students identified as concentrators at the beginning of their senior year compared with the number of those from that who graduated.

The state benchmark for this measure is 90 percent.

Concentrators Identified	33
Concentrators Graduated	31
Percent Graduated	94%
State Average	92%

District Rating: Meets or Exceeds State Average

<u>Placement</u>

Placement is based on the status of completers six months following graduation. Completers who pursued opportunities in postsecondary education, the workforce, and/or the military are considered positive placements.

The state benchmark for this measure is 98 percent.

Completers reported in 2001-02	20
Completers surveyed for follow-up	19
Completers in postsecondary education/workforce/military	17
Percentage of positive placement	89%
State Average	94%

District Rating: Approaching State Average

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